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RE: Cultural Resource Assessment Request  
SAI# FL9401051559C  
Central and Southern Florida Project - Preliminary Draft:  
Integrated General Reevaluation Report and Environmental  
Impact Statement - Canal 111 (C-111)  
Dade County, Florida

Dear Ms. Hatter:

In accordance with the provisions of Florida's Coastal Zone Management Act and Chapter 267, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures contained in 36 C.F.R., Part 800 ("Protection of Historic Properties"), we have reviewed the referenced project(s) for possible impact to historic properties listed, or eligible for listing, in the National Register of Historic Places, or otherwise of historical or architectural value.

A review of the Florida Site File indicated that there are several tree islands in the general vicinity of the project area. It is the recommendation of this office that if the tree islands will be impacted by any construction activities (i.e., new canals, pump stations, detention pools, etc.), they should be subjected to a systematic, professional archaeological survey prior to the commencement of such activities. In addition, changes in the water volumes and levels should be monitored to determine if any tree islands or oak hammocks are being affected by the flooding. If it is evident at this time or becomes evident in the future that the referenced topographical features will be impacted, they should be subjected to a survey such as that described above. The purpose of these surveys will be to locate and assess the significance of historic properties present. The resultant survey report must be forwarded to this agency in order to complete the process of reviewing the impact of this proposed project on historic properties. We note that the above stipulations are cited in the project document.